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> Reminder - GLENDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT SEEKING ENROLLMENT FOR AUGUST 2012 CITIZEN ACADEMY

Glendale, Ariz. - Just a Reminder, The Glendale Police Department is accepting applications for the upcoming Citizen Police Academy which starts on August 8, 2012; Deadline quickly approaching.

The Citizens Academy is a **free program** designed to offer participants a chance to learn, hands on, about many police operations, such as the use of police canines, crime scene investigations, and tactical operations. The curriculum also includes: an overview of the police department's administration, police communications, and community oriented policing.

Participants must be at least 18 years of age and undergo a background check and fingerprinting process. All fingerprinting and applications must be complete and submitted no later than Friday May 25, 2012. The academy is 12 weeks long and is held on Wednesday nights from 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm at the Glendale Regional Public Safety and Training Center. (There are two Saturday classes, and one Monday and Tuesday evening class that is a part of this program as well.)

Applications can be downloaded from our website:

http://www.glendaleaz.com/police/involvement.cfm#CitizenPoliceAcademy, or contact Marie Shepherd (mshepherd@glendaleaz.com) (623)872-5010 for more information.

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